

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION

RUSSELL, et al,  
Plaintiffs

v.

HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, et al,  
Defendants

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No. 4:19-cv-00226  
Hon. Lee H. Rosenthal  
U.S. District Judge

**REPORT OF SHERIFF ED GONZALEZ JUNE 26, 2020**

Just the numbers today:

1. As of June 26, 2020, the total jail population was 8,051 (approximately 90% are felony pre-trial detainees).
2. Only 2 remote bail hearings were held this week, with one more set for today.
3. Of the 525 inmates in the jail (as of two weeks ago) charged with non-violent offenses and having no prior violent convictions, 87 have been released.
4. Regarding the inmates:
  - 3,662 have been tested, with 1,046 tested positive (of whom, 803 remain in custody today).
  - 728 of those who tested positive have recovered and remain in custody.

- 2,602 tested negative.
5. 1,041 inmates are in observational quarantine (no symptoms, but exposed to COVID). An additional 642 are in buffer quarantine (newly booked).
6. Regarding the HSCO staff:
- 399 have tested positive, including 344 who work in the jail.
  - 284 of those who tested positive have recovered and returned to work.
  - 115 are in quarantine (and 12 in the hospital).

Respectfully submitted.

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